

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

JOHN B. MATTHEW & LAURENCE H GOODYEAR  
Serial No: 09/462,695  
Filed: January 12, 2000  
For: Improved Papermaking Screenplate  
& Method of Construction  
Art Unit 1723  
Examiner: Matthew O Savage

Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks  
Washington D.C. 20231

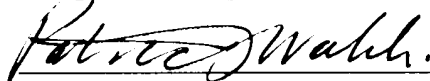
Sir:

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time to respond to the Official Action dated September 17, 2002. The extension of time fee is attached.

18 February 2003  
Stamford, Connecticut.

Respectfully submitted,



Patrick J. Walsh  
Attorney of Record

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Rule 1.53  
application based on the above-identified prior application:

X	Request
X	Filing fee.
X	Return Post Card

FEE CALCULATION--NEW APPLICATION

Total Claims:	12 - 20 = 0 x \$ 9.00 = \$ 0.00
Independent Claims:	10 - 3 = 7 x \$42.00 = \$294.00
Basic filing fee:	\$375.00
Total:	\$669.00

A check in the amount of \$669.00 to cover the filing fee is  
enclosed.

Stamford, Connecticut  
February 18, 2003

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